

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)

Docket No.
0111

In Re Application Of: **Balmer et al.**

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
09/977,175	October 12, 2001	Lam, Cathy Fong Fong		1775	2853

Invention: **THREE-DIMENSIONAL WELDING ROD AND SURFACE COVERING**



COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 3/2/2004 above-identified application.

Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: 6/2/2004 *Date* until: 8/2/2004 *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is \$420 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 012400
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 012400

Signature

Dated: **July 28, 2004**

Douglas E. Winters
Reg. No. 29,990

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on 7/28/2004 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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